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SUBJ: CONGRESS DEMONSTRATION AGAINST ARMS TO PAKISTAN

1. WE HAD A SMALL DEMONSTRATION DURING THE DEPUTY SECRETARY'S VISIT. NOTHING SERIOUS. 250 DEMONSTRATORS ORGANIZED BY LEFTIST CONGRESSMEN PEACEFULLY PROTESTED AT THE EMBASSY AGAINST UNITED STATES ARMS SUPPLY TO PAKISTAN. THE GROUP SPENT NINETY MINUTES ON APRIL 20 AFTER-NOON DENOUNCING THE UNITED STATES DECISION TO LIST THE ARMS EMBARGO AND THEN GAVE A PETITION TO AN EMBASSY OFFICER (COPY POUCHED). POLICE PROTECTION WAS FULLY ADEQUATE.

2. ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT THROUGH THE DEPUTY SECRETARY AND THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY, THE PETITION CLAIMS THE UNITED STATES HAS BOLSTERED PAK JUNTAS WITH PROFUSELY SUPPLIED ARMS. IT ALLEGES THAT THE UNITED STATES SEEKS " FRESH ADVENTURES" IN SOUTH ASIA AFTER VIETNAM DEFEAT AND

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BANGLADESH EMERGENCE.

3. THE DEMENSTRATION WAS ORGANIZED BY VETERAN ANTI-AMERICAN CONGRESS MP' S. SEVERAL MP' S KNOWN TO BE CLOSE TO PARTY LEADERSHIP PARTICIPATED IN PREPARATIONS. THIS WAS THE FIRST DEMONSTRATION ON ARMS TO PAKISTAN BY CONGRESS MP' S SINCE OUR CHANGE IN POLICY.

DECONTROL APRIL 20, 1974.
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